

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA**

STEPHEN WALDEN and LESLIE
WALDEN, individually and on behalf of all
others similarly situated,

Plaintiffs,

v.

THE BANK OF NEW YORK MELLON
CORPORATION and BNY MELLON, N.A.,

Defendants.

Case No. 2:20-cv-01972-CRE

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**DEFENDANTS THE BANK OF NEW YORK MELLON CORPORATION AND
BNY MELLON, N.A.'S LOCAL RULE 7.1 DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

Pursuant to Local Rule LCvR 7.1.A., and to enable Judges and Magistrate Judges to evaluate possible disqualification or recusal, the undersigned counsel for Defendants The Bank of New York Mellon Corporation and BNY Mellon, N.A. in the above-captioned action states that BNY Mellon, N.A. is a wholly-owned subsidiary of The Bank of New York Mellon Corporation. The Bank of New York Mellon Corporation is a publicly traded company, and no public company owns 10% or more of The Bank of New York Mellon Corporation's stock.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on February 26, 2021, I electronically filed the foregoing with the Clerk of the Court using the CM/ECF system, which will send notification of such filing to counsel or parties of record electronically by CM/ECF.

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